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Applicants	Joseph D. Schroeder, <i>et al.</i>
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Examiner	Steve Weinstein

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231


Election Pursuant to Restriction Requirement

Dear Sir:

This is a response to the outstanding Office Action dated August 30, 2002.

Applicants hereby elect the invention of Group VII, claims 36-40, for prosecution in this case. Claims 1-35 are reserved for filing in a future application.

Respectfully submitted,


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